

Please note: Weekly programs and other special events are offered by the Ranger Staff. Monthly Event Calendars are available in the brochure boxes April through September.

January 2012



- ❖ **15th Sunday Winter Wildlife Tracking**, 2:00 pm (cancelled for heavy rain or snow) Junior Ranger Level 2- earn wildlife/resource credit. Meet at the dam.

2011 Season Shelter Reservations: watch for National Recreation Reservation Service soon. Until operable call the Ranger Staff at (508) 278-2511 #3. NOTE: A third shelter is available on the access road to the dam (Uxbridge, MA)



February 2012

- ❖ **26th February-Sunday**

Annual Winter Backyard Bird Count and Wildlife Trek with a Ranger 2:00pm. Bring snowshoes or boots if warranted. Junior Rangers Level 2 earn wildlife/resource credit



MARCH 2012

- ❖ **31st Saturday Night Hike**, 6:00- 8:00pm cancelled for rain. Junior Ranger Level 2- earn credit. Meet at the dam.

April 2012

- ❖ **April 2nd** Outdoor Sports Enthusiasts, West Hill Park opens Monday - Friday Pre-season for fishing and recreation.
- ❖ **7th and 14th Saturdays - Vernal Pool Walk**, 7:30-9:30pm Junior Ranger Level 2- earn credit. Meet at the dam.
- ❖ **Welcome Bay State Trail Riders, Inc.- annual Trail Workday April.** Thanks for keeping our trail open for all.
- ❖ **15th Sunday- Snake Trek-** overcome fears & observe the local species. 2pm- cancelled for rain. Junior Rangers Level 2- earn credit.



May 2012

19th Saturday- West Hill Park opens for the 2012 recreation swim season, **8am- 8pm weekends, 6pm weekdays- until school is out. Watch for signs !**

- ❖ **20th Sunday- Get to Know West Hill Dam- Tour** 2:00pm
- ❖ **Memorial Day Weekend**
- ❖ **26th Saturday Family Night Campfire-** first of season **6-8pm**
- ❖ **May 27th Sunday Deer & Snakes, "Off The Beaten Path"-** 2pm, Junior Ranger Level 2-credit
- ❖ **May 28th- Monday- Woodland Trail-** Join a ranger for a refreshing jaunt- great workout for singles, families and seniors., 2pm



June 2012

- ❖ **2nd- Saturday- Rocks, Logs and holes- critter search**, 2:00pm Junior Rangers Level 2 earn credit.
- ❖ **9th - Saturday- Baby Bee's Nature Walk**, toddler up to grade two-senses walk, 2:00pm (strollers and wagons permitted).
- ❖ **12th- Tuesday Junior Ranger Registration opens 10am**, all Ranger Team or Viola at (508) 278-2511, #1 or #3
- ❖ **16th - Saturday-Annual Family Fishing Fair** 9am - 1pm, Junior Ranger Level 2 earn credit. Rain or shine!
- ❖ **17th Father's Day Family Hike**, 2pm, granddads, uncles anyone looking for a hike.
- ❖ **30th - Saturday- Lewis and Clark Discovery Campfire** 6-8pm, Junior Rangers Level 2 -earn cultural credit.



July 2012

- ❖ **6th Friday and 14th Saturday - Family Night Campfires** 6-8pm, Junior Rangers Level 2- earn credit
- ❖ **11th- Wednesday Baby Bees Toddler Hike** (ages 1 to 8) 2pm.
- ❖ **1st and 29th- Sunday- Get to Know West Hill Dam Tour** 2pm
- ❖ **15th (rain date 29th) Sunday-Annual Sand Castle Building Contest**, 10 am opens, judging 1 pm- watch for posters
- ❖ **16th - 20th Junior Ranger Level 1 ages 6-12**, 1:00-3:00pm daily
- ❖ **23rd - 27th Junior Ranger Level 1, ages 6-12**, 1:00-3:00pm daily.
- ❖ **28th - Saturday- Lewis and Clark Discovery Campfire** 6-8pm, Junior Rangers Level 2 -earn cultural credit



August 2012

- ❖ 5th & 19th- Sundays Get to Know West Hill Dam tour, 2:00pm Junior Ranger Level 2- earn credit
- ❖ 12th - Sunday- Plant Walk with a Ranger, 2:00pm; Experience an afternoon in a grassland, river basin and upland habitats. Junior Ranger Level-2 credit.
- ❖ 18th Saturday Night Hike open to all- 6:00-8:00pm
- ❖ 25 th-Saturday Lewis and Clark Campfire (all ages) 6:00-8:00pm Junior Ranger Level 2- earn credit

September 2012

- ❖ 2nd & 9th Sundays Magnificent Monarchs with a Ranger, 2:00pm, Junior Rangers Level 2, earn credit.
- ❖ 8th- Saturday Family Night Campfire, A break from your school routine, 6:00-8:00pm. Junior Ranger Level 2- earn credit.
- ❖ 9th - West Hill Park closes for the swimming season.
- ❖ 22nd Saturday- Annual National Public Lands Day 9am-2pm (heavy rain date 23rd)
- ❖ 28th- Friday- Annual Owl Prowl 7-9pm, cancelled for rain. Junior Ranger Level 2- earn credit.

October 2012

- ❖ 7th- Sunday- Fall Wildlife Walk, 2pm Junior Ranger Level 2- earn credit.
- ❖ 20th - Saturday- Fall Story Campfire, 7-9pm cancelled for rain



November 2012

- ❖ 4th Sunday- Get to Know West Hill Dam Weekend Tour 2pm Junior Ranger Level 2- earn credit.
- ❖ 25th- Sunday- Winter Critter and Wildlife Trek with a Ranger, 2pm

December 2012

West Hill Dam
and Park

Remain open for
winter activities.

Enjoy!



- ❖ 9th December- Sunday Wildlife Walk & Decorate A Wildlife Food Tree, 2pm, Junior Rangers earn credit.

2012

WEST HILL DAM AND PARK

- Watch for press releases and posters at the office and park bulletin boards.
- For information call the Ranger Staff at (508) 278-2511.
- May through September programs meet at the park bulletin board. All dam tours and October thru April programs meet at the office at the dam.

View our weekly events and this calendar on our web page - www.nae.usace.army.mil/recreation.htm . . . or search on West Hill Dam and select West Hill from Corps page. See Current Events.



Note: please allow 60 to 90 minutes for programs. Campfires and evening programs we allow two hours, but visitors can leave any time during a program.

West Hill Dam 518 East Hartford Avenue. Uxbridge, MA 01569

Special Events Calendar